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OK folks, last chance to sign up and be sure you're seated at our tables. If you haven't purchased your tickets yet, you can do so [here](#). Don't forget, as a sponsor of this event, The Independence Fund has secured the special rate of \$185 for all our guests. The Independence Fund will also be hosting an after party at the Marriott Wardman Park Hotel. And our board members, BG Rich Gross, USA (Ret) and CDR Sean Spicer, USNR, will also be joining us. Plus, we will hold a special reception beforehand at the Wardman Park with our board members and our track chair recipient who will receive the track chair on stage during the Wallow.

But the Wallow organizers are doing the seating on Monday, so I need you to buy your tix by Sunday, if you already haven't, and to get back in touch with me that you've bought your ticket and want to join us at our tables. After that, I can't guarantee we can get you a ticket or that you will be seated with us.

Looking forward to seeing everyone next Saturday, February 2!

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It's that time of year again, folks! The Carabao Wallow is fast approaching on us. This year it will be held at the Marriott Wardman Park, drinks at 6 pm, dinner at 7 pm, entertainment at 9 pm, after parties starting around 11:00.

For those of you who know it and joined us last year, it's a great event. For those of you who haven't been before, it's sort of like the Alfalfa Dinner, but for the Military Industrial complex. To give you a better idea, about 1,000 of Washington, DC's military nomenclatura gather to drink, eat, and poke fun at

all the things that are spoofable in the military from the last year. Yes...I know...the potential topics are exhaustive. If you want to read up on the [Military Order of the Carabao](#), what the [Carabao Wallow](#) is, and [pictures from previous years](#), hit the hyperlinks. The event is black tie and miniature medals, or mess dress uniform. Kilts if you dare.

I'm helping out with the organization this year, so I can help get us all seated together, but I need to know if you are coming by January 15th so we can make sure the seating arrangements are in order. You also need to pay by January 17th. I'll be sending periodic updates. You can do that online. It's a two part process for signing up for the Wallow. Pay online [here](#), but also fill out the registration form [here](#). Then, after making the payment and completing the form, save the form and attach it to your proof of payment receipt, and send it to Bill Harris at BHarris3@BWMA.net, and cc me.

The Independence Fund will likely be sponsoring again this year, and doing another one of our chair presentations, or possibly a presentation for one of our adaptive sports teams. Last year we raised enough money at the Wallow to give away another track chair!

For those of you who've joined the Herd, the cost is \$175. For those of you who still haven't made the plunge into the swamp and joined the Herd (that's where the Carabao wallow, you know) the cost is \$275. Open bar, good food, great show. LOTS of after parties. On the form, make sure you say you want to be seated with me.

If you are interested in membership, talk to me separately. If you want to bring a guest or two, also advise me, and we'll make room.

Hoping all of you can join us. Should be a great time.

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